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For: INHIBITORS OF c-JUN N-TERMINAL KINASES (JNK)  
AND OTHER PROTEIN KINASES

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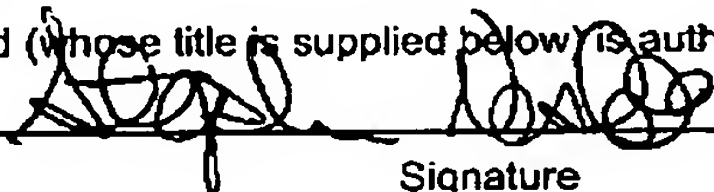
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